

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Beck, Chairman of a select committee, reported favorably

A bill entitled an Act to repeal section 2 of the Act passed March 13, 1867, chapter 286, entitled an Act to incorporate the Chesnut River Fruit Packing Company, and to re-enact the same with an amendment.

Which was read a first time.

Also,

A bill entitled an Act to cause to be transcribed a certain record book of wills, to provide for making a general index to wills, and for binding the record books in the office of Register of Wills for Kent county.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Touchstone, Chairman of a select committee, reported favorably

A bill entitled an Act to repeal certain portions of the Act of 1860, chapter 303, of the General Assembly of Maryland, relating to the Columbia and Port Deposit Rail Road Company.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Rose, Chairman of a select committee, reported favorably

The Senate bill entitled an Act to authorize the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Talbot county to copy the General Index to Land Records in his office from 1833 to 1868,

With proposed amendment.

Amendment proposed :

Section 1, line 2, after the word " Courts " insert the words " By and with the consent of the County Commissioners."

The amendment was adopted,

And the bill as amended read a second time,

And ordered to be engrossed for a third reading.

Mr. Wentz (the rules being suspended,) submitted the following order :

Ordered, That the Chief Clerk of the House be instructed to designate five Committee Clerks to be, for one day, from